

MATERIAL-SAVING PIZZA CARTON

ABSTRACT

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A pizza carton and blank of a structure similar to that shown in Correll U.S. Patent 6,547,125 and comprising one or more of the following features: (1) a side wall connector panel attached to a bottom edge of a corner panel and to the bottom panel and being free of attachment to any other panel; (2) a cover closure comprising a cover flap disposed within a flap-receiving slot; (3) left and right side walls disposed non-parallel to one another; (4) a carton having left and right side walls each with a diagonal corner panel and a connector panel attached to a bottom edge of the corner panel and with the left and right side walls disposed non-parallel to one another; (5) a carton having non-parallel left and right side walls and the lower edge of left and right cover side flaps disposed non-oblique to the top edge of the side walls; (6) a carton having non-parallel left and right side walls and gradual-diminishing-height cover side flaps; (7) adjacent blanks having non-parallel side walls having a top edge of a side wall of the first blank being disposed non-oblique to the top edge of the corresponding side wall of the second blank; and (8) adjacent blanks having non-parallel side walls and a lower edge of a cover side flap of the first blank being disposed non-oblique to a lower edge of a cover side flap or a top edge of a side wall of the second blank.